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Docket No.: 2038-221A

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hironao MINATO *et al.*

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/664,906

Filed: September 22, 2003

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: Confirmation No. 6809  
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: Group Art Unit: 3761  
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: Examiner: Karin M. Reichle

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.  
☒ Also attached: **Marked-Up Specification; Substitute Specification; and New Fig. 5**

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	3	20	0	x \$ 50 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$200 =	\$ 0.00
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Fee for extension of time					
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action dated December 7, 2005.